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allegedly does not comply with the Sequence Rules and that applicants must provide 1) a substitute computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing"; 2) a substitute paper copy of the "Sequence Listing ", as well as an amendment directing its entry into the specification; AND 3) a statement that the content of the paper and computer readable copies are the same and, where applicable, include no new matter, as required by 37 C.F.R. §1.821(e) or §1.821(f) or §1.821(g) or §1.825(b) or §1.825(d).

Please amend the specification as follows:

In the Specification

Please delete the previously submitted paper copy of the "Sequence Listing" inserted as pages 36-61 after page 35.

Please renumber previously numbered pages 62-78 as pages 36-52.

Please insert after Abstract at newly renumbered page 52 the amended paper copy of the "Sequence Listing", pages 1-34, attached hereto as Exhibit B.

On page 8, line 29, after "type" insert --(SEQ. I.D. NO.:27)--.

On page 8, line 31, delete "27" insert --28--.

On page 8, line 33, delete "28" insert --29--.

On page 8, line 35, delete "29" insert --30--.